

LAS VEGAS FIRE & RESCUE FIRE NEWS

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Eastside Las Vegas Home Damaged By Fire

Fire Started In Attic Of Home

Las Vegas Fire & Rescue responded to 216 Ronald Lane (Stewart/Sand Hill) at 1:50 p.m. Saturday after several people called 9-1-1 and reported smoke coming from the roof a house.

When firefighters arrived on scene, smoke was showing from the attic of one story wood frame house. When firefighters entered the house, the first floor was not involved with fire, there was slight smoke. Firefighters found the fire in the attic and had it out in less than 15 minutes.

The fire was confined mostly to the attic area. There was slight damage to the main floor of the house. A damage estimate was not immediately available.

Fire investigators determined the fire started in the attic and it was electrical in origin.

The American Red Cross is assisting four adults.

There were no reported injuries.

This is the second attic fire of significance in the past twenty four hours in the city of Las Vegas due to electrical problems.

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